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This is a request for filing a \_\_\_\_\_ CONTINUATION

☒ DIVISIONAL \_\_\_\_\_ CONTINUATION-IN-PART application under  
\_\_\_\_\_ 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b) \_\_\_\_\_ 37 C.F.R. §1.53(d), of pending prior application  
Serial No. 09/768,479 filed on January 24, 2001 of

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AN IN VIVO SCREEN USING CHEMICAL INDUCERS OF DIMERIZATION  
Title of Invention

1. \_\_\_\_\_ Enclosed is a copy of the prior application, as originally filed and an affidavit or declaration verifying it as a true copy.
2. ☒ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and 1.27  
\_\_\_\_\_ is enclosed.  
☒ was filed in the prior application and such status is still proper and desired (37 C.F.R. §1.28(a)), a copy is enclosed.
3. ☒ The filing fee is calculated as follows:

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Multiple Dependent Claims Presented: <u>      </u> Yes <u>  X  </u> No					145	290	=	\$ 0	\$
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4.   X   The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this application or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 03-3125.
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5.   X   Three copies of this sheet are enclosed.
6.   X   A check in the amount of \$ 403 is enclosed.
7.   X   Cancel claims 1-132 and 138-140.
8.        Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence: --This is a        continuation        division of application Serial No.                     , filed                     .--
9.   X   23 Sheet(s) of        informal   X   formal drawing(s) is/are enclosed.
10.        Transfer the drawings from the prior application to this application and abandon said prior application as of the filing date accorded this application. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed for filing in the prior application file.
11.        Priority of application No.                      filed on                      in                      (country) is claimed under 37 U.S.C. §119.
- The certified copy of the priority application has been filed in prior application Serial No.                     , filed                     .
12.   X   The prior application is assigned of record to The Trustees of Columbia University in the City of New York.
13.   X   A preliminary amendment
14.   X   The power of attorney in the prior application is to:

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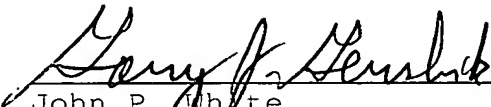
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